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## ACTION ITEMS

### CHIRs

- ❑ **Health Equity TA Evaluation** – Thank you all who attended the Health Equity TA session. We value your feedback and would appreciate your participation in the [evaluation](#) of the presentation. This will help our team identify areas of improvement as well as additional resources that would be most beneficial to your CHIRs.

### State SIM CHIR Team

- ❑ **FAQs** – The State SIM CHIR Team will be updating the questions document frequently, as well as adding additional items to the FAQs folder.
- ❑ **Individual CHIR Requests** – The State SIM CHIR Team continually works through submitted requests. Action items that pertain to all CHIRs will be communicated through the newsletter. Requests that pertain only to the requesting CHIR will be communicated directly to that CHIR via email or a conference call.

## News

- **CHIR Participation Guide** - An updated CHIR Participation Guide will be released soon. The SIM Team is in the process of updating the current CHIR Participation Guide and all changes/additions will be documented.
- **Budget Training** - MDHHS will offer two dates and times for a budget WebEx training later this month. The training provides an overview of the CMS and EGrAMS process. Please email [CHIR@mail.mihealth.org](mailto:CHIR@mail.mihealth.org) by *February 20* to register for the training. Additional instructions will be forthcoming for the login information.
  - February 23<sup>rd</sup> 10:00 – 11:00am
  - February 28<sup>th</sup> 2:00 – 3:00pm
- **Unrestriction Requests and Budgets** - February 1 was the due date for un-restriction requests to allow for an April 3 Foundational disbursement. It takes 60 days for MDHHS to process the unrestriction request, from the time we receive the information to the EGRAMS approval process. At this time, we cannot guarantee an April 3 disbursement of Foundational funding. Please provide MDHHS all unrestriction requests by Feb. 15 or before, for a **possible**, April 15 disbursement. Additionally, per the Participation Guide (page 12), a budget for the Transformation funding should be included in your final Local Operational Plan. A twelve month budget is preferred as this will be your CMS un-restriction and EGrAMS funding. Below is the amount each CHIR should expect to receive. Budgets should NOT exceed the amounts listed. Adjustments to decrease the budget can be made. For questions regarding unrestriction requests and budgets, please email Nicole Wilson [WilsonN5@michigan.gov](mailto:WilsonN5@michigan.gov) and Hope McElhone [McElhoneH@michigan.gov](mailto:McElhoneH@michigan.gov)
  - Genesee: \$1,582,902
  - Jackson: \$891,172
  - Muskegon: \$1,026,431
  - Northern Michigan: \$983,811
  - Washtenaw/Livingston: 1,265,683

## Resources

- **CHIR PCMH Profiles** – Each CHIR was provided with a profile of the PCMHs within their region. The documents are located in each CHIRs folder on SharePoint.
- **CHIR Medicaid ED Utilization with ICD10 Codes** – The most common ICD10 codes associated with ED visits for Medicaid beneficiaries with varying levels of ED utilization can be found on SharePoint [here](#).
- **Health Equity TA Presentation** – The presentation is now available to you on SharePoint [here](#).
- **Key Performance Indicators** – The SIM Team developed a KPI template for the CHIRs to utilize for their LOP submissions in April. The team encourages CHIRs to submit KPIs to the SIM Team for review and feedback in advance of the April LOP submission to [CHIR@mail.mihealth.org](mailto:CHIR@mail.mihealth.org). KPI template can be found [here](#) on SharePoint.
- **Michigan Medicaid Fact Sheet** – A quick fact sheet highlighting Medicaid in Michigan to share among your governing body/work groups can be found on SharePoint [here](#). The fact sheet was produced by The Henry J. Kaiser Family Foundation.
- **Screening Tool** – The SIM Team has developed a base template for the brief screening tool that can be found on SharePoint [here](#). CHIRs may have already considered an existing tool or is developing one. Please be sure that your tool addresses the questions found in this template. If your CHIR would like to alter wording, add a question, or remove a question, please submit your changes to [CHIR@mail.mihealth.org](mailto:CHIR@mail.mihealth.org). The screening tool will be submitted along with your local operations plan to MDHHS in April.

## UPCOMING MEETING INFORMATION

### All CHIR Calls

- **CHIR Backbone Organization Cohort Status Call CANCELED Due to Site Visits**
- **February 27, 2017 2:00-3:00pm CHIR Backbone Organization Cohort Collaboration Call**
- **February 28, 2017 9:00-10:30am CHIR TA Call – TBD**
  - The SIM Team will send the CHIRs an update on the TA session soon.

### Individual CHIR Calls

- **February 13, 2017 1:30-2:30pm: Muskegon**
- **February 13, 2017 3:30-4:30pm: Washtenaw/Livingston**
- **February 16 2017 1:00-2:00pm: Genesee**
- **February 21, 2017 2:30-3:30pm: Northern**
- **February 24, 2017 10:00-11:00am: Jackson**